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**RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, mailed April 26, 2001 in connection with the above-identified application, and in accordance with Rule 111 of the Rules of Practice, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. Applicants submit concurrently herewith: (a) a copy of the Notice To Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures; (b) a Response to the Notice To Comply With Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide And/Or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures; (c) a Sequence Listing in paper and computer readable form pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§1.821(c), (d), and (e); (d) a Transmittal of Sequence Listing; and (e) Exhibit A, a marked up version of the specification paragraphs showing the amendments made herein; (f) Exhibit B, a clean copy of the specification paragraphs, as amended; and (g) a Petition For Extension of Time from May 26, 2001 to and including October 26, 2001 including authorization and payment of the